Milk Cooperatives vis-a-vis Delhi Milk Scheme

281. SHRI ISH DUTT YADAV:
SHRI DIGVIJAY SINGH:
SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIA:
SHRI SHANKAR DAYAL SINGH:
SHRI MOHAMMED AFZAL *alias* MEEM AFZAL:
SHRI VIREN J. SHAH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the report that appeared in *the Indian Express* dated 16th June, 92 regarding milk co-operative mafia forcing the DMS authorities to accept substandard milk besides forcing the officials to make changes in the records;

(b) if so, whether Government have made any enquiry into the matter; and

(c) if so, what action has been taken by Government to curb the activities of the Co-op. milk mafia?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI K. C. LENKA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) Yes, Sir. Dedhi Milk Scheme (DMS) has reported an incident of 31.05.1992, when 2 persons, namely S/Shri Maluk Nagar and Mohd. Ommar tampered with the Official record maintained at the security gate and intimated the security staff. DMS have reported the matter to tht Police and have also suspended the purchases of milk from the three Societies, viz. (i) M|s Kamdhenu Cooperative Dairy Society Limited., (ii) M|s Khichripur Milk Producers Cooperative Dairy Society Limited and (iii) M|s Jaya Cooperative Dairy Society Limited whose Tanker Number were forcibly inserted in the security gate records in place of already entered numbers. As regards substandard milk, strict quality control is being maintined for accepting the milk.

Allotment of Rice, edible oil and sugar to Arunachal Pradesh

282. SHRI NYODEK YONGGAM: Will the Minister of FOOD be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have made any allotment of rice, edible oils and sugar to Arunachal Pradesh during 1989-90, 1990-91 and 1991-92;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) what is the total quantum of each item;

(d) whether such quota is collected by the State Government through FCI; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) to (c) The following quantities of rice, sugar and imported edible oils have been allotted to Arunachal Pradesh during 1989-90, 1990-91 and 1991-92:

(In tonnes)

	Rice	Sugar	Imported Edible Oils)
	April-March		(November-October)
1989-90	89900	3862	930
1990-91	92500	3862	200
1991-92	116900	3990	300*

*Upto May, 1992